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LOK SABHA

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RASHTRIYA MADHYAMIK SHIKSHA ABHIYAN
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the details of funds allocated and utilized under the Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan (RMSA) by the State of Haryana during the last three years;

(b) the details of schools promoted under the scheme in the State;

(c) whether the Government has noticed any irregularities in the funds allocated under this scheme;

(d) if so, the details thereof and the corrective action taken by the Government in this regard; and

(e) whether the Government proposes to increase the allocation of funds to upgrade more schools especially in the rural areas and if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SMT. SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

(a)& (b): During the last three years, an amount of Rs. 348,72.41 lakhs have been released to the State Government of Haryana, out of which an amount of Rs. 223,35.47 lakhs has been utilised by the State as on 31st March, 2014. 2366 schools have been covered under Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan (RMSA).

(c)&(d): A complaint was received in May 2012 regarding irregularities by the State in conducting of book fairs held in 2011-12. The State Government was requested to conduct an inquiry into the complaints. State Government has reported that no irregularity was committed.

(e): Subject to availability, allocation of funds to States under RMSA is based on receipt of proposals as per norms of the scheme, utilisation of the funds released and implementation of proposals approved previously.